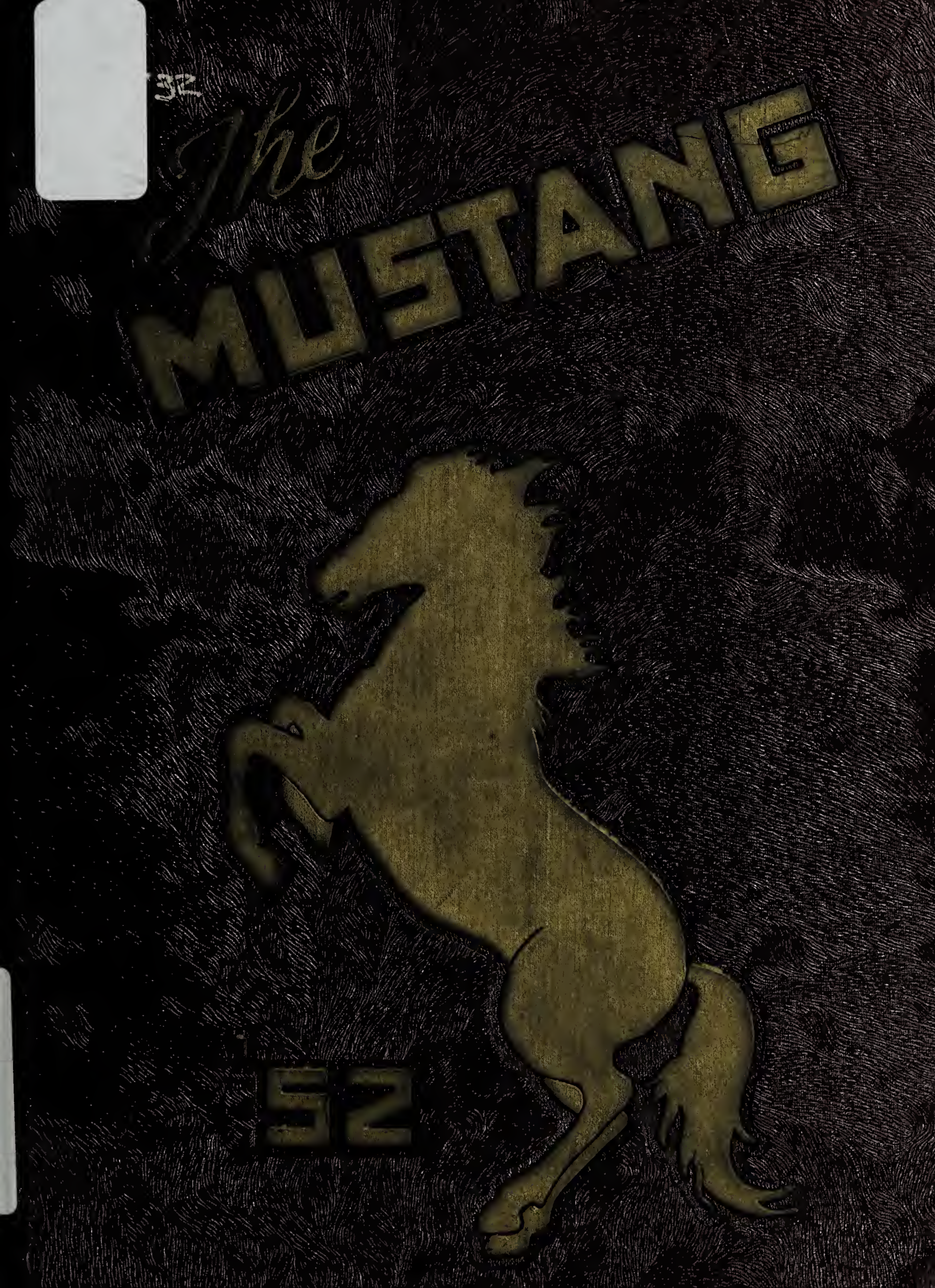
'32

The MUSTANG



52

Annual Eighth Grade Debate
of the High School League

Digitized by the Internet Archive
in 2018 with funding from
LYRASIS and LYRASIS Members

https://archive.org/details/mustangthe1952geor

THE STAFF OF

1952 "MUSTANG"

GEORGE MASON JUNIOR-SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA

Presents the First Edition of . . .

The MUSTANG

GUS MASON, *President of the Student Body, accepting "The Mustang" from* NANCY ALTFATHER, *Editor, and* ROBERTA MCCRARY, *Lay-Out Editor.*

LD
7501
.T20
G46
1952

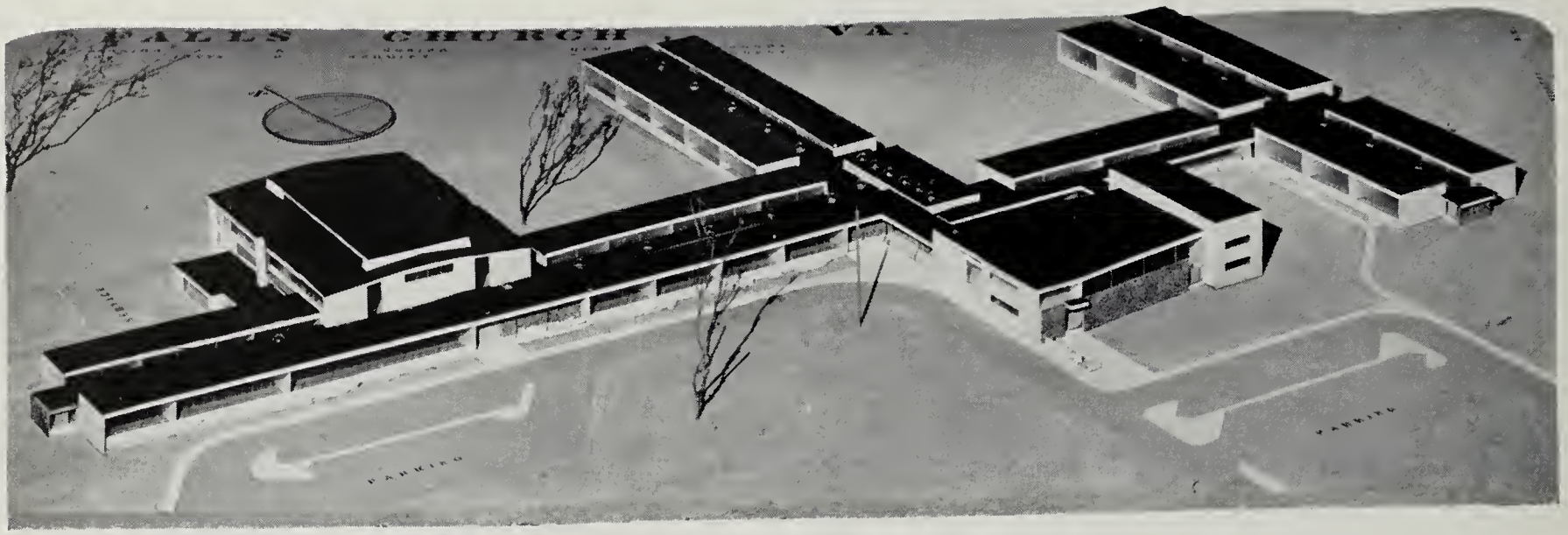
DEDICATED

to The Student

PROPERTY OF
THE LIBRARY OF VIRGINIA
RICHMOND, VA

Body

Mind
Spirit
Voice
Personality
Strength



The School Organization History

This year the Mustang Staff decided to write a short history of our beautiful new high school since this is the first year that the City of Falls Church has had a real high school of its own.

Up until 1942 the town of Falls Church had its own school system. At that time the McCandlish Act was passed by the Virginia State Legislature stating that Falls Church Schools should be transferred back into the County of Fairfax, and at no time in the future, no matter how large it might become, could the schools go back to the City of Falls Church. Then there were only two schools in Falls Church—Madison Elementary and Jefferson High School. Until 1945, Jefferson remained the High School. At that time the County built the Falls Church High School and Jefferson was put into use as an Elementary School.

In 1948 Falls Church was made a second class city with the right to its own school system. The McCandlish Act was declared unconstitutional by the Virginia State Supreme Court. As soon after that as possible, a school board was appointed by the City Council. Mr. Irvin H. Schmitt was appointed Superintendent of Schools.

On November 11, 1949, the citizens of Falls Church showed their faith in the new system by overwhelmingly voting a Bond Issue of $700,000.00 to be used for school construction. As soon as this was passed, the Board employed architects and started an extensive search for school sites. The site chosen for the new high school is at West Broad Street and Haycock Road. The plans, drawn by McLeod and Ferrara to fit this site, were given an award at the annual convention of the American Architects Association at Atlantic City. These plans are now entered in an international contest in Switzerland.

As soon as these plans were approved by the State Department of Education, bids were opened and the contract was awarded to the B & J Construction Company. Construction was begun immediately.

"Thompson House"

"Jefferson"

Due to the shortage of materials, the High School was not completed in time for the opening of school in the fall of 1951. The School Board therefore used Jefferson to house the 7th, 8th, and 9th grades, and rented the Thompson House at Seven Corners for the 10th and 11th grades. The Seniors were allowed to return to Falls Church High School.

The building is now being rushed to completion and we are looking forward to the opening of the school next fall in the new George Mason Junior-Senior High School.

"Cheek and double-cheek those steel beams on the gym before erecting them."

"It's beginning to look like reality."

Slip Artists!

"Gallia omnes est divisa in partes tres"

Amusement for the unemployed

Caught in the act

Athletic, aren't we?

Rembrandts perhaps

A stitch in time saves nine

Results unassured

Pretty as a picture

1st period study hall???

This is serious business, boys

Einstein has nothing on them

MIND

THE STUDENT Body

ADMINIS

IRVIN H. SCHMITT
Superintendent of Schools

FALLS CHURCH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
1057 W. BROAD STREET
FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

TELEPHONE FALLS CHURCH 5000

March 26, 1952

TO THE FACULTY AND STUDENTS OF GEORGE MASON JUNIOR SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL:

Greetings and congratulations to you at George Mason Junior-Senior High School. You have the distinction of being the first student body and faculty of Falls Church's new High School. I am proud of the way you have cooperated to start it off so successfully.

The achievements of the first year have exceeded all expectations. Inadequate facilities have not kept you from having a fruitful and happy experience.

It is fortunate the history of this initial year will be permanently recorded in a year book. The courage to undertake the heavy responsibility of preparing and publishing The Mustang is just one of the many examples of the spirit you have displayed in getting your new school off to a good start.

Let us consider the achievements of 1951-52 as pointing the way to improvements in the years to come which will place George Mason among the top schools of the nation.

Sincerely yours,

Irvin H. Schmitt
Superintendent

IHS:mc

MRS. ELEANOR JUSTUSSON
Clerk of the School Board

MRS. MARJORIE COPE
Secretary to the Superintendent

MRS. LOUISE STACKLER
Bookkeeper

MR. HOWARD KING
Director of Maintenance Transportation

TRATION

MRS. ELIZABETH MYERS

Secretary

MRS. ROSALINE EDWARDS

Head Administrator at Thompson Building

MISS BESS KNOX

Head Administrator at Jefferson Building

MRS. DORIS CRAIN

Secretary

The reekoning day is here!

Faculty

BALLANGEE, PAUL R.
B.S.
Industrial Arts

CAMPBELL, PHYLLIS
B.A.
English, Journalism, Music

BISHOP, MARY F.
B.A.
Mathematics, Jr. High

BARKLEY, ANNE
B.S., M.A.
English, Guidance Coordinator

COCKRILL, CATHERINE
B.S.
Physical Education

CRAIN, DORIS
Secretary

CRAIN, JOE
B.S.
Physical Education

FISHER, MRS. JOSEPH L.
B.A.
English, Social Studies

GREEN, J. J.
B.A., B.D.
Social Studies

KLEIN, J. NATALIE
B.A.
English, Social Studies, Speech, Dramatics

LEYER, KENNETH
B.S.
Physical Education, Driver's Training

MENEELEY, REYNOLD C.
B.S., M.A.
General Science, Chemistry

Mr. Ritzman counseling J. Bold, M. Taylor, P. Nicholson, D. Campbell

Mrs. Barkley counseling R. Beale

Faculty

MILLER, BRINTON M.
B.A., M.S.
General Science, Biology

MYERS, ELIZABETH
Secretary

OWENS, JULIA S.
B.A., M.A.
Latin, English

RITZMAN, ELMER
B.A., M.A.
French, Spanish, Guidance Coordinator

ROCKWELL, CHESTER S.
B.A., M.A.
Mathematics

SCHOLL, A. F.
B.M., M.M., M.A., ED.D.
Band and Instrumental Music

SELLERS, MRS. EMORY
B.A.
Home Economics

SNODGRASS, WILLIAM D.
B.A.
Mathematics

TOMLIN, DOROTHY
B.A.
Art

WARNER, WILLIAM C.
B.A.
Junior High Social Studies

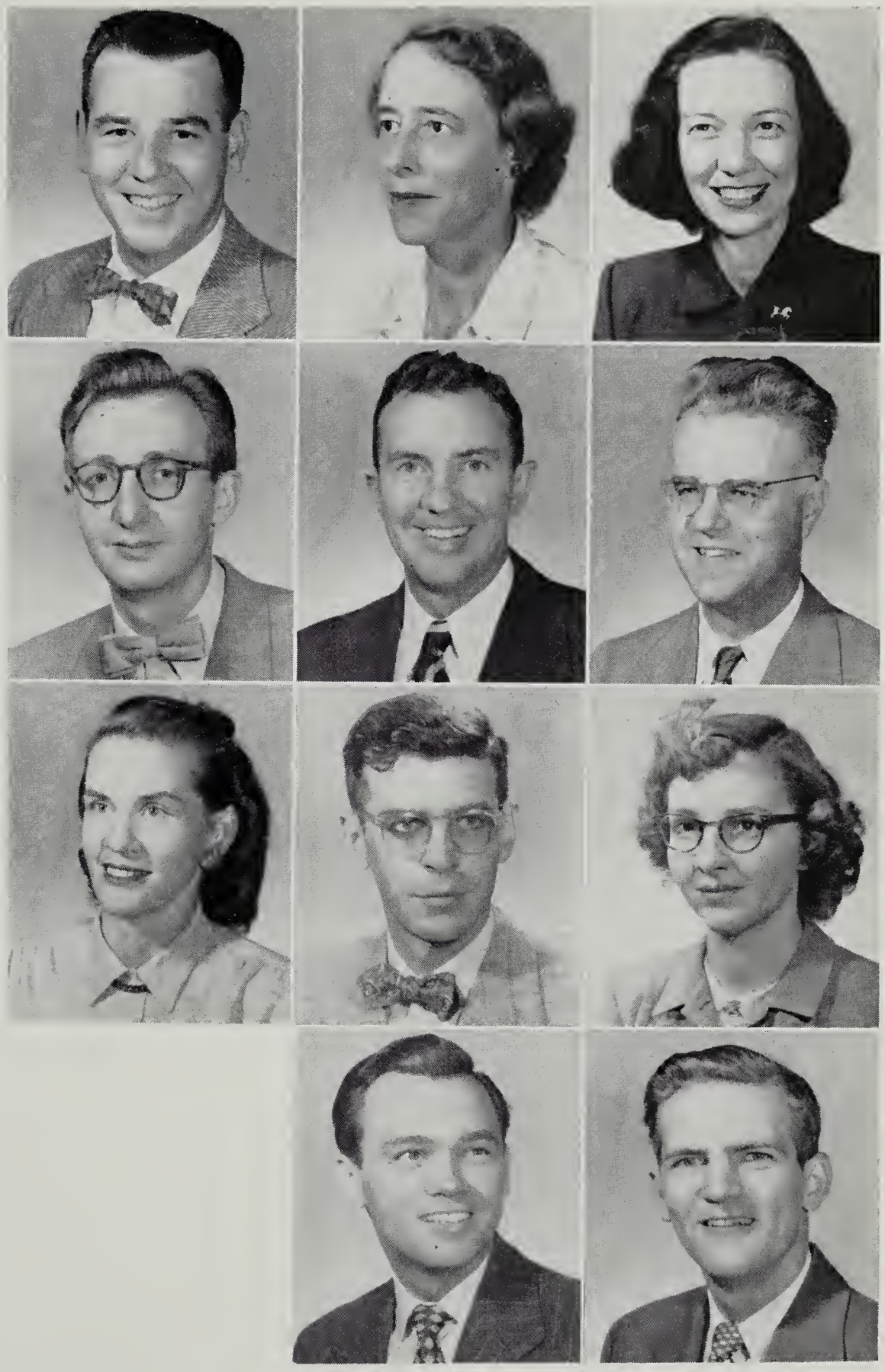
YOUNG, AL
B.A., M.A.
School Psychology

Not Pictured

ADALAC, LOIS M.
B.A.
Business

HORLICK, GERTRUDE C.
B.S., M.A.
Art

PHELPS, HELEN
B.A.
World History, U. S. History
Social Studies



Remember, keep your eye on the ball!

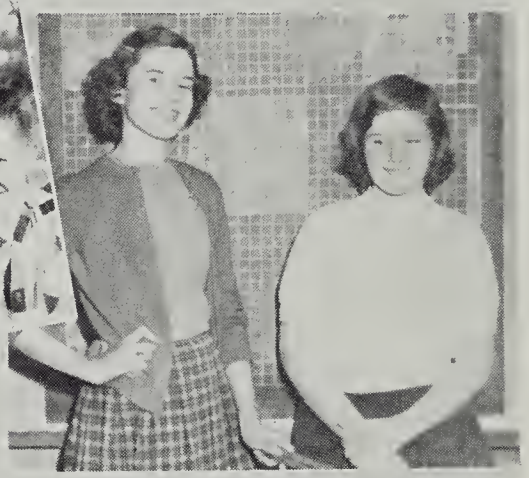
That's 200 calories

Hungry, boys?

May I cut in?

Rush for the books?

Where's the lawn mower?



8/8=1 Fooled ya!

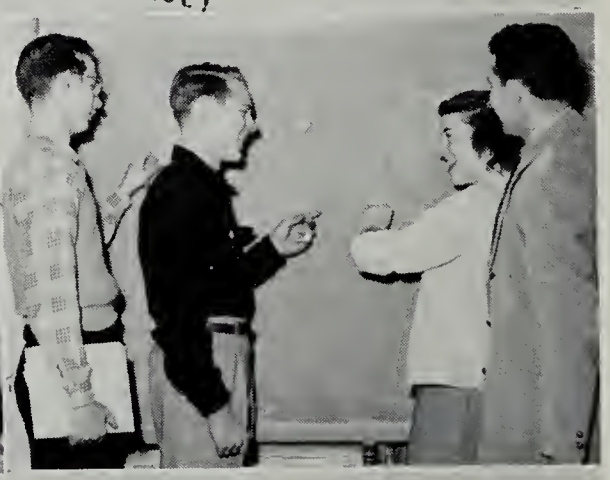
All for the boys?

"You came, I was alone..."

A piggy bank full $5.68 means a lot!

Me and my big mouth

Hate to part with it



Look! its easier thisway

Student Council Officers

Henry Mason ..... *President*

Barbara Zimmer ..... *Vice-President*

Betty Cline ..... *Secretary*

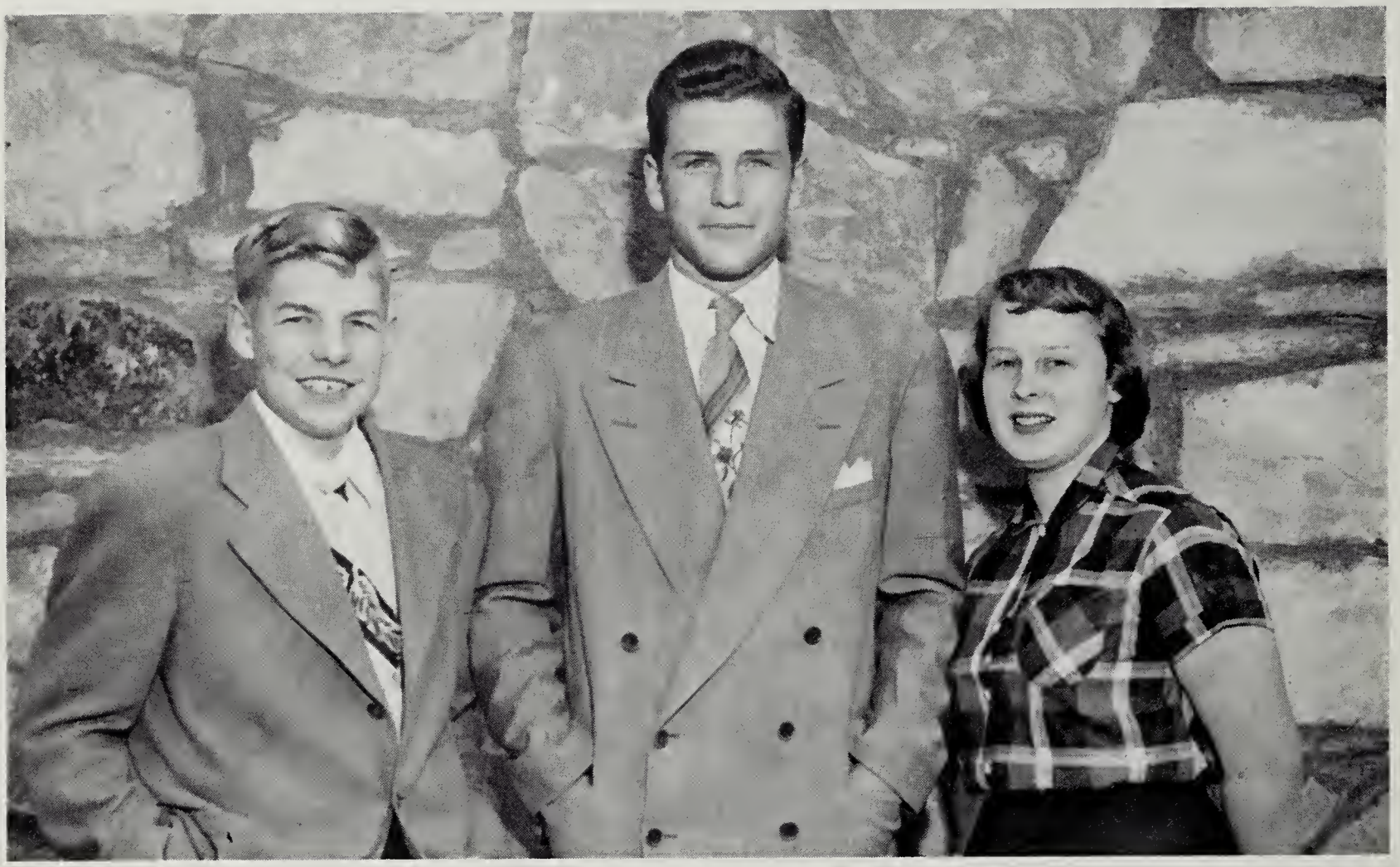
Guy Morris ..... *Treasurer*

James Ginn ..... *Activity Committee Chairman*

Charles Bailey .. *Public Relations Committee Chairman*

Student Council

Standing: Donald Jones and Roy Smith. *Sitting, left to right*: Jerry Roylance, Dick Fisher, Larry Chaney, Terp Palmer, James Ginn, *Activity Committee Chairman*; Betty Cline, *Secretary*; Henry Mason, *President*; Guy Morris, *Treasurer*; Tommy Webster, Joan Johnston, Charles Bolton, and William Breit.



Junior Class Officers

Charles Yarbrough ..... President

Robert Dennis ..... Vice-President

Peggy Payne ..... Treasurer

JUNIOR CLASS

Altfather, Nancy

Chambliss, John

Dennis, Robert

Earman, Dennis

Ferguson, Frances

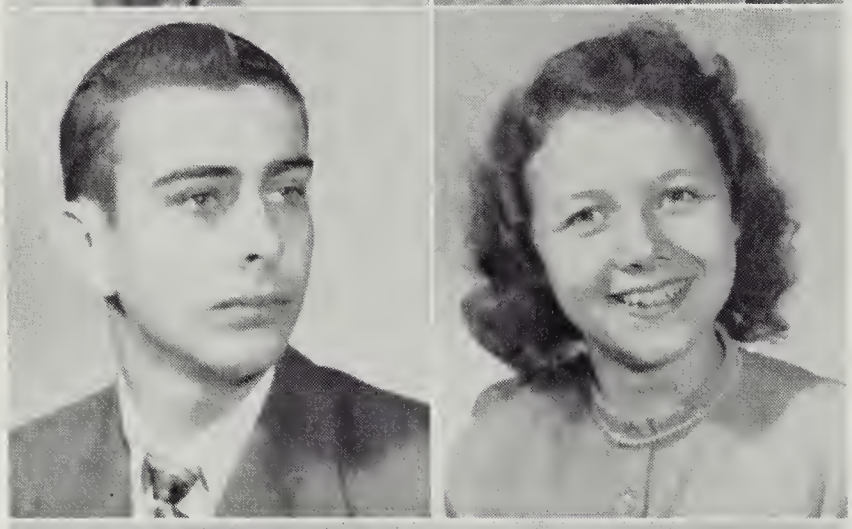
Farris, Jack

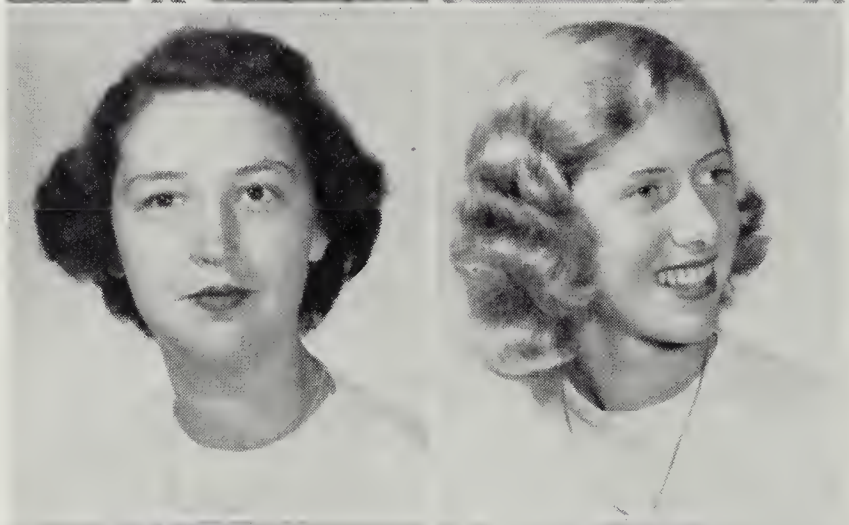
Furcher, Donald

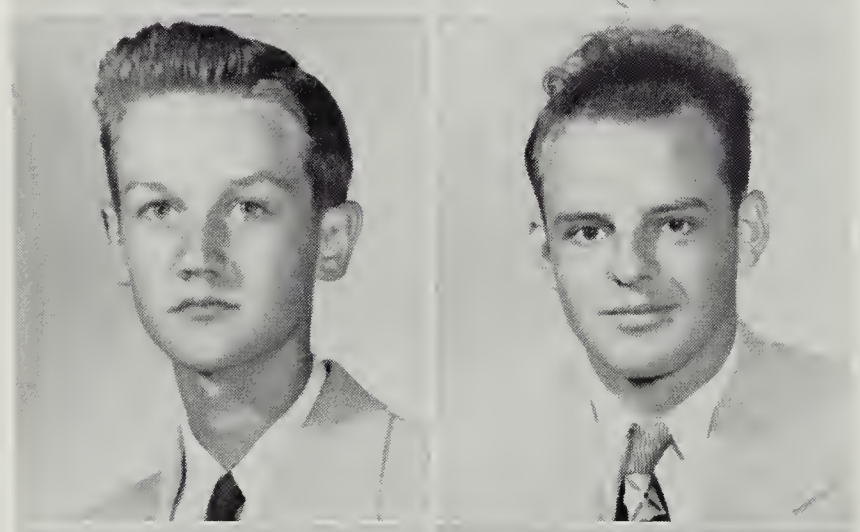
Geier, Carl

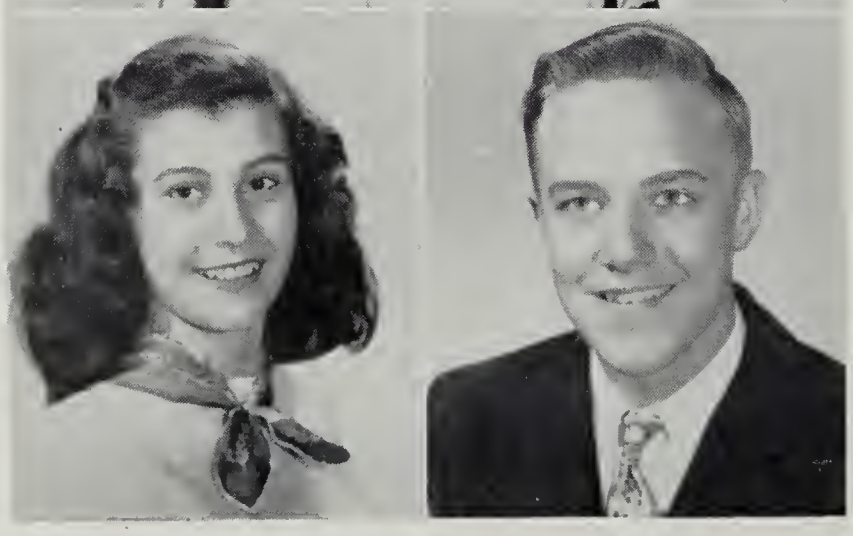
Ginn, James

Gray, Joyce









JUNIOR

Hannen, Evelyn

Holland, Frances

Holmes, Wayman

Hunt, Marguerite

Jackson, Nancy

Johnston, Joan

Kinney, Arlan

Leake, Joseph

Lee, Barbara

Lintner, John

CLASS

Llewellyn, Lynn

Louis, Fred

Madden, Kathryn

Mason, Henry

Maulsby, Sue

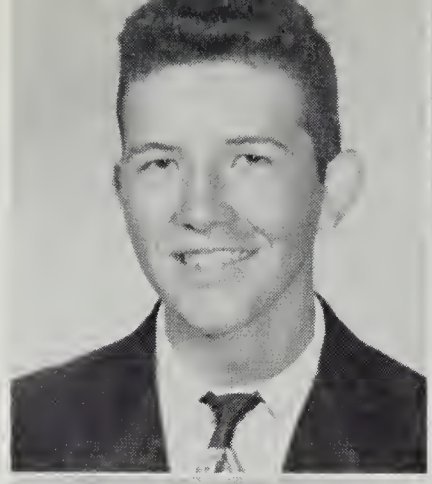
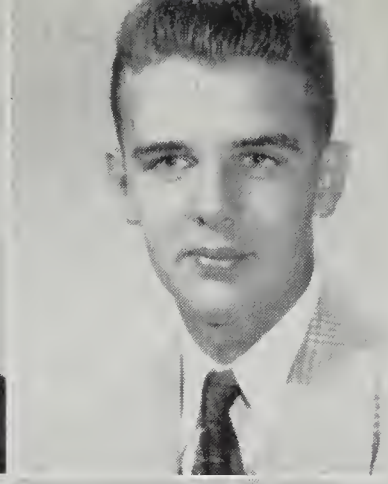
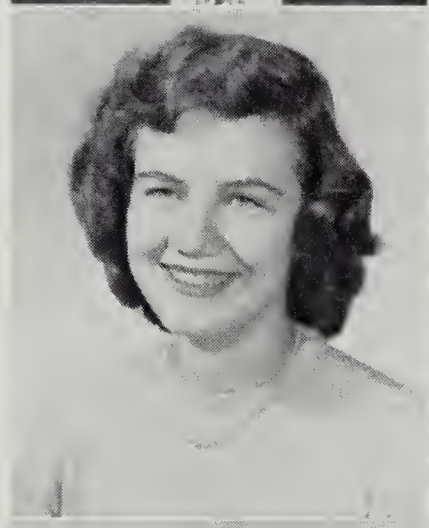
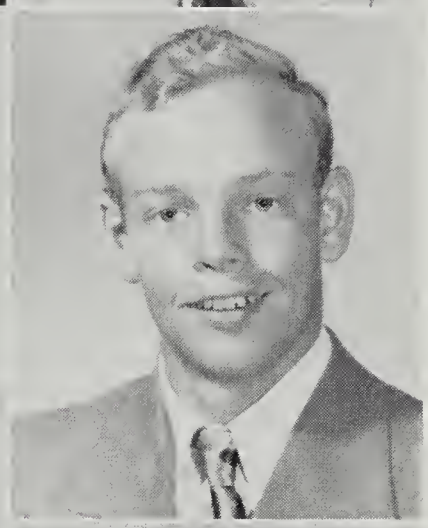
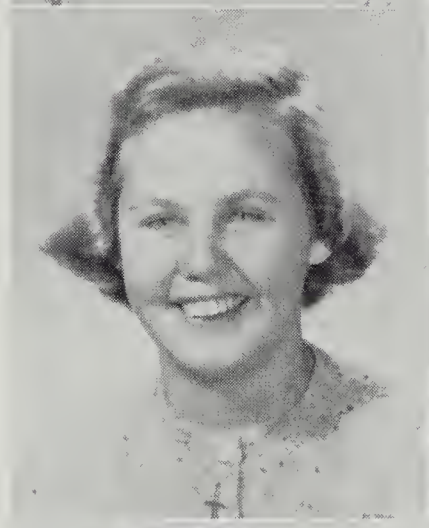
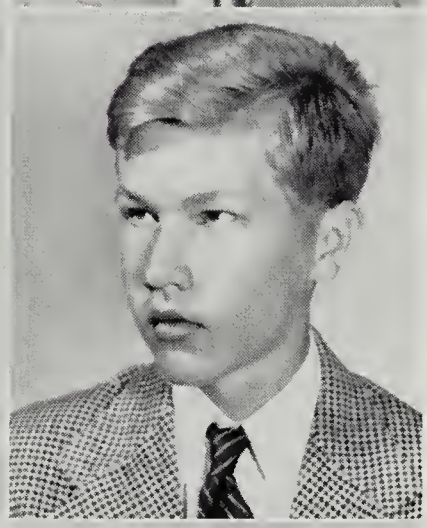
Meyers, William

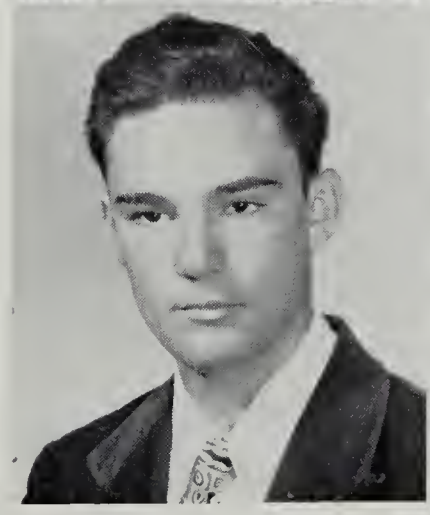
Morris, Guy

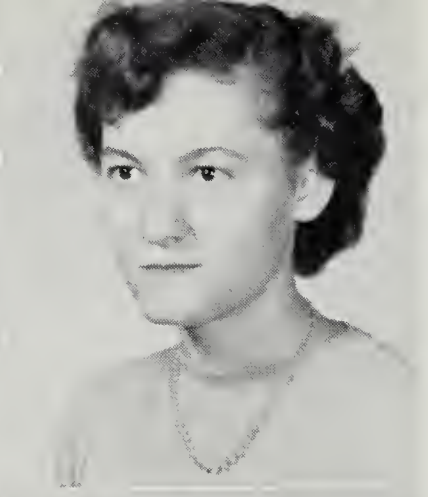
McCrary, Roberta

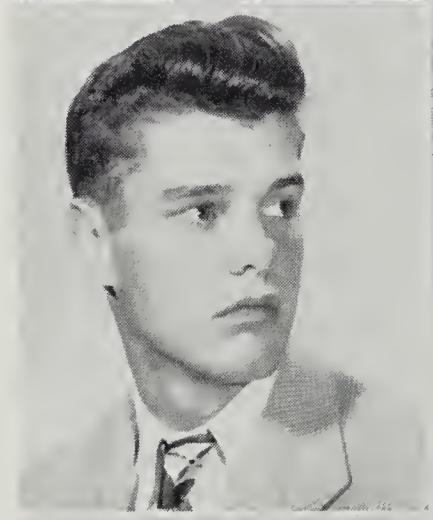
McFarland, Bert

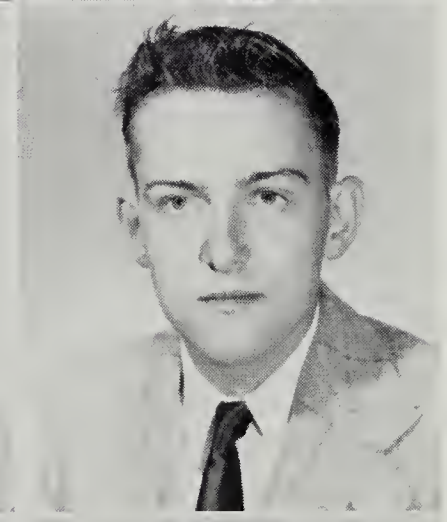
Newman, Carol

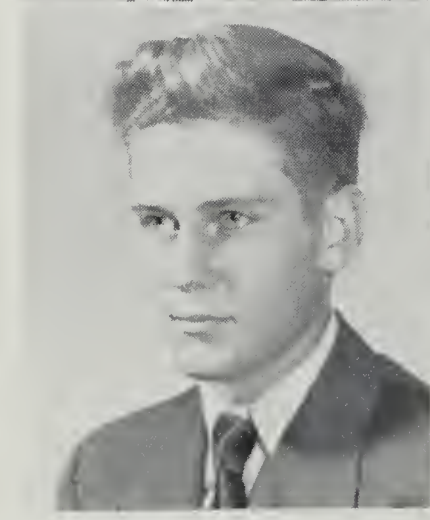

















JUNIOR CLASS

Payne, Peggy

Rountree, Jocelyn

Shelton, Betty

Sprinkle, Janet

Stephens, Roland

Tasker, Alvin

Tasker, Buddy

Thompson, Robert

Yarbrough, Charles

Zimmer, Barbara

Sophomore Class Officers

John Yarbrough ..... *President*

Bill Jeffrey ..... *Vice-President*

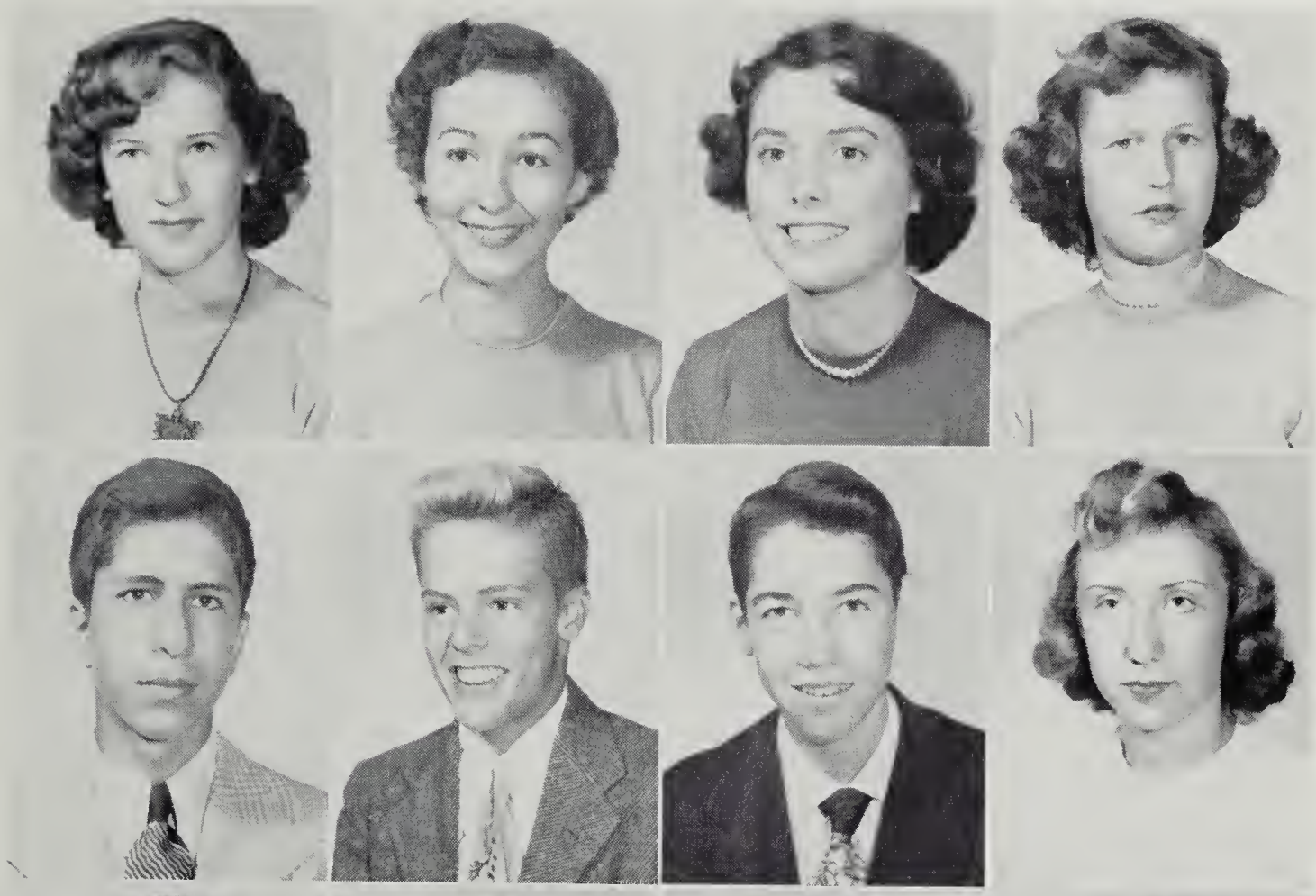
Patti Regan ..... *Secretary*

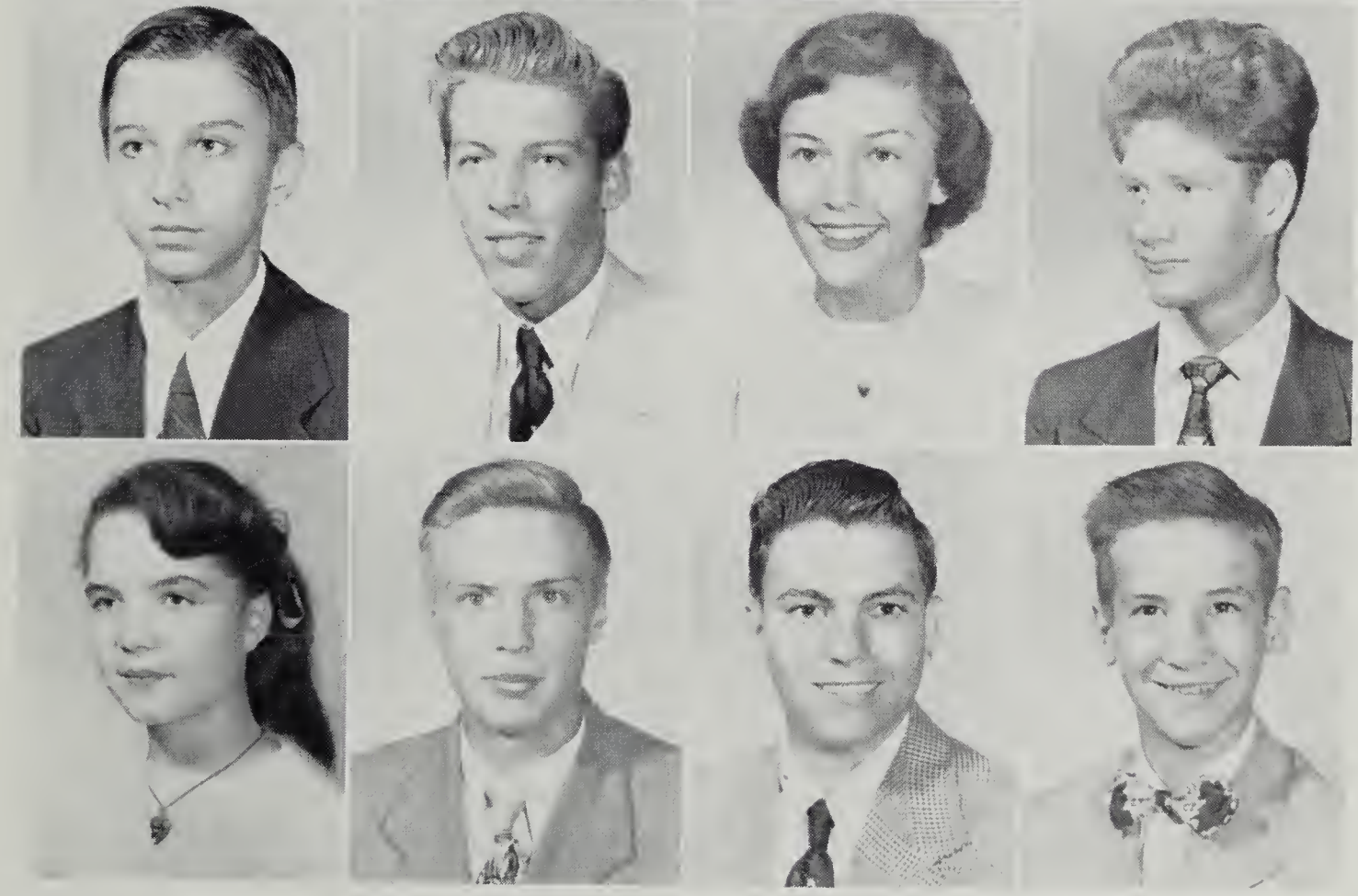
Nancy Allen ..... *Treasurer*

SOPHOMORE

Allen, Nancy
Altman, James
Arnold, James
Beale, Ronald
Becker, Edmund
Berry, Joe
Bold, Jane
Boswell, Dorothy
Browder, Nat
Butler, Scott
Byrne, Richard
Caldwell, Joslyn
Campbell, Deborah
Chapin, Elaine
Clatterbuck, Shirley
Cline, Betty

CLASS





Coe, Carolyn
Coe, Elizabeth
Davis, Kathleen
Earhart, Mary
Fink, Melvin
Fruland, Richard
Geddes, Kenneth
Geier, Louise
Hedetniemi, Charles
Heeter, Robert
Hinman, Betty
Homer, Paul
Jackson, Ten Broeck
Jeffrey, William
Jensen, Donald
Kearns, Richard

SOPHOMORE

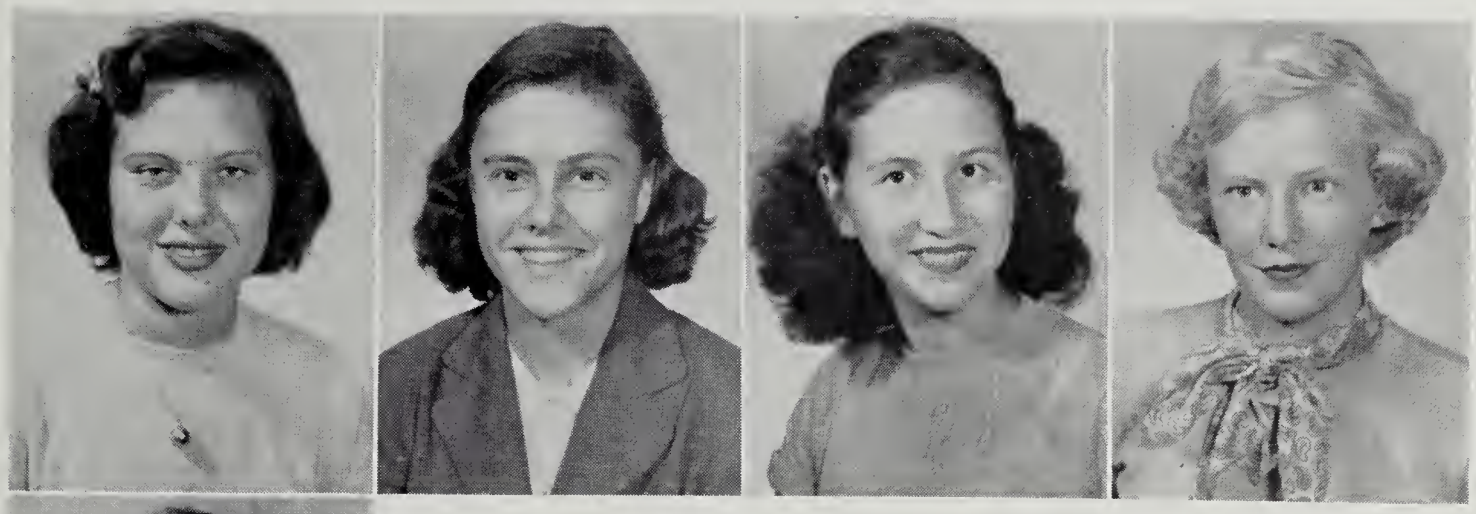
Krages, Sonia
Miles, Mary
Rose, Elaine
Steiner, Barbara

Manwaring, Janice
Nicholson, Phyllis
Smith, June
Stieringer, Constance

Marshall, Melody
Otis, Julia Ann
Spaulding, Ann
Strum, Franklin

McAfee, Christine
Regan, Patti
Stearns, Walter
Taylor, Bruce

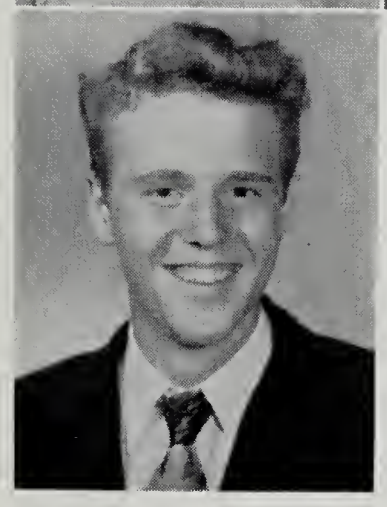
CLASS



Upperman, Mary Louise

Watson, Jeannette

Wells, Joan

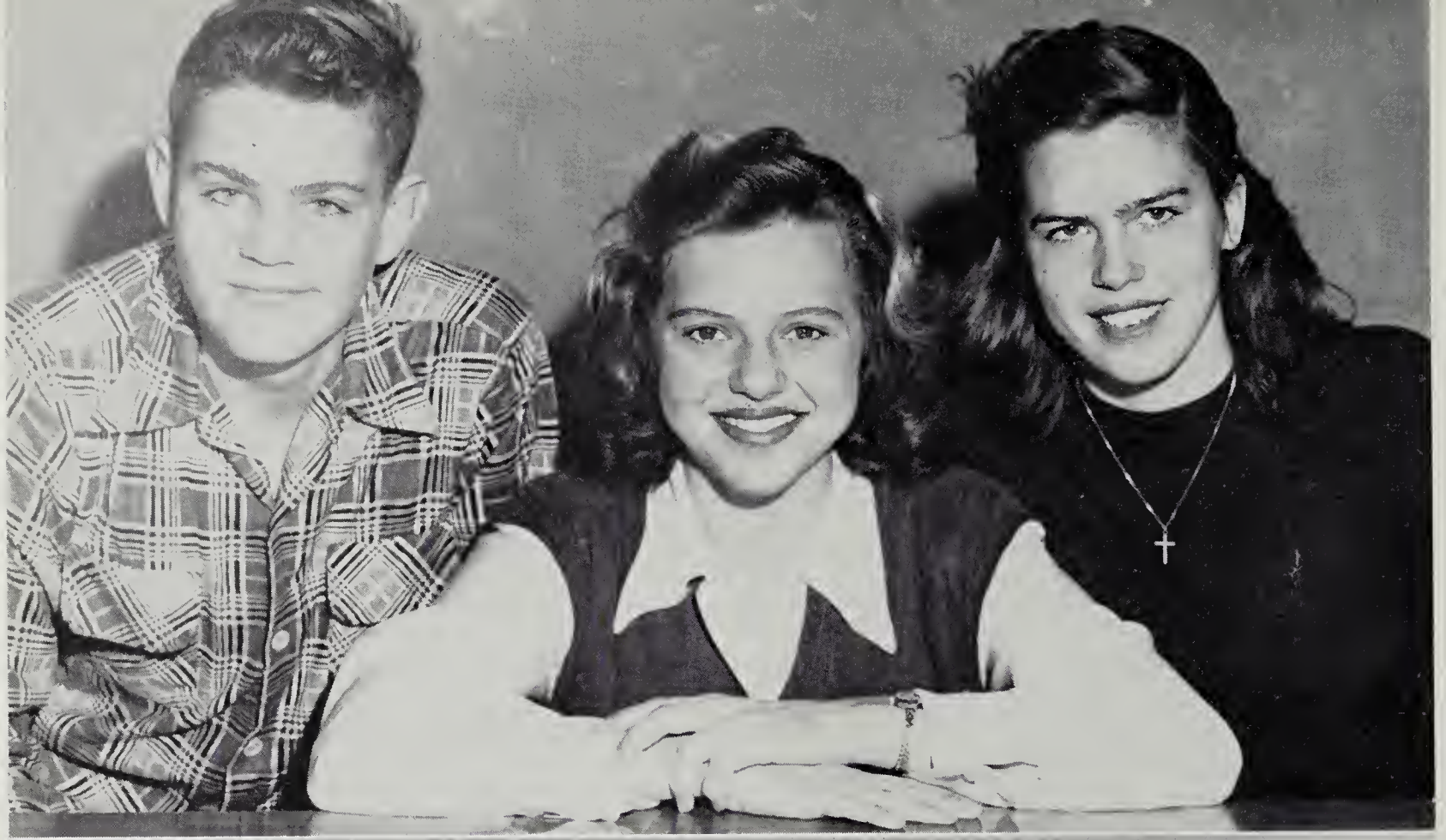


Taylor, Mary Lou

Yarbrough, John

Newcomers

Ledford Day, Jr., Anthony Bickrest



Freshman Class Officers

JUDY FRULAND ..... *President*
BILL BREIT ..... *Vice-President, Treasurer*
GAIL HODGES ..... *Secretary*

SECTION 1		SECTION 2
RALPH HAVENS	*President*	JERRY ROYLANCE
WAYNE DAUGHERTY	*Vice-President*	ANNE ALBAUGH
WANDA WALDRON	*Secretary*	DONNA LEE HINSHAW

FRESHMAN CLASS

ALBAUGH, ANNE
ATKINS, VIRGINIA
BERGER, WILLIAM
BILLINGSLEY, ANN

BLIFFIN, CONRAD
BOWER, ROBERT
BOWERS, MARY ANN
BRANSCOM, LEE

BREIT, WILLIAM
BRUMBY, CONSTANCE
CAGLE, HAL
CARON, PATRICIA

CLARK, MARY JANE
COLLEY, JACK
COONS, RICHARD
CRANFORD, BAYNE

CROOKS, JAMES
CZECHANSKI, IRENE
DAUGHERTY, WAYNE
DIETZ, JACQUELINE

DINSMORE, DONALD
EBERT, PAUL
EUBANK, BEVERLY
FISHER, RICHARD

FRULAND, JUDITH
FULTON, THEDA
GLOVER, MARILYN
GREEN, HENRIETTA

FRESHMAN

HARRISON, CHRISTOPHER
HAVENS, RALPH
HINSHAW, DONNA LEE
HODGES, GAIL

JONES, DONALD
LAREW, KARL
LASSEN, ALLAN
LYNSKY, EARL

MARTIN, BYRON
MAULSBY, CAROLYN
McCARTHY, NANCY JO
McCURDY, GRACE

McQUARRY, OTHO
MONROE, PAGE
MORRISON, PAUL
MUNSON, LYDIA

MYERS, CATHERINE
O'BANNON, RICHARD
PITT, WILLIAM
PRESCOTT, JOHN

ROLLINS, RAY
ROTE, ELINORE
ROYLANCE, JERRY
RUMLEY, JANE

SCHROM, ROBERTA
SMITH, DAVID
SMITH, PATRICIA
TABOR, MARGARET

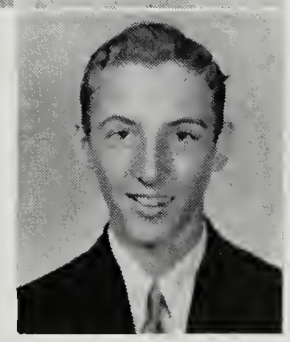
CLASS

TASKER, JOHN
TAYLOR, SANDRA
TUNISON, JOHN
VAN PELT, DONALD

WATKINS, JO ANN
WALDRON, WANDA
WEISHAUPT, PATRICIA
YATES, CAROLYN

Not Pictured
RUCKER, ROBERTA

ZIMMER, JOHN



Newcomers

LEO GIDEON, FRANK GIAMBATTISTA

Eighth Grade Officers

SECTION I

Roy Smith ..... *President*

Tommy Hedetniemi ..... *Vice-President*

Larry Chaney ..... *Secretary*

Rodney Phillips ..... *Treasurer*

SECTION II

Sara Jeffrey ..... *President*

Gil Hansen ..... *Vice-President*

Judy Stetson ..... *Secretary*

Stephen Hedetniemi ..... *Treasurer*

EIGHTH GRADE

Andrews, Robert
Armstrong, John
Bauserman, James
Bigelow, Judy
Bliffin, Janice
Branscom, Donis

Bronson, Howard
Bryan, William
Butler, James
Capper, Danny
Carey, Jacqueline
Chaney, Larry

Cohn, Larry
Colby, Marilyn
Cooper, Georgene
Cooper, Joann
Davis, Donald
DeRamus, Juin

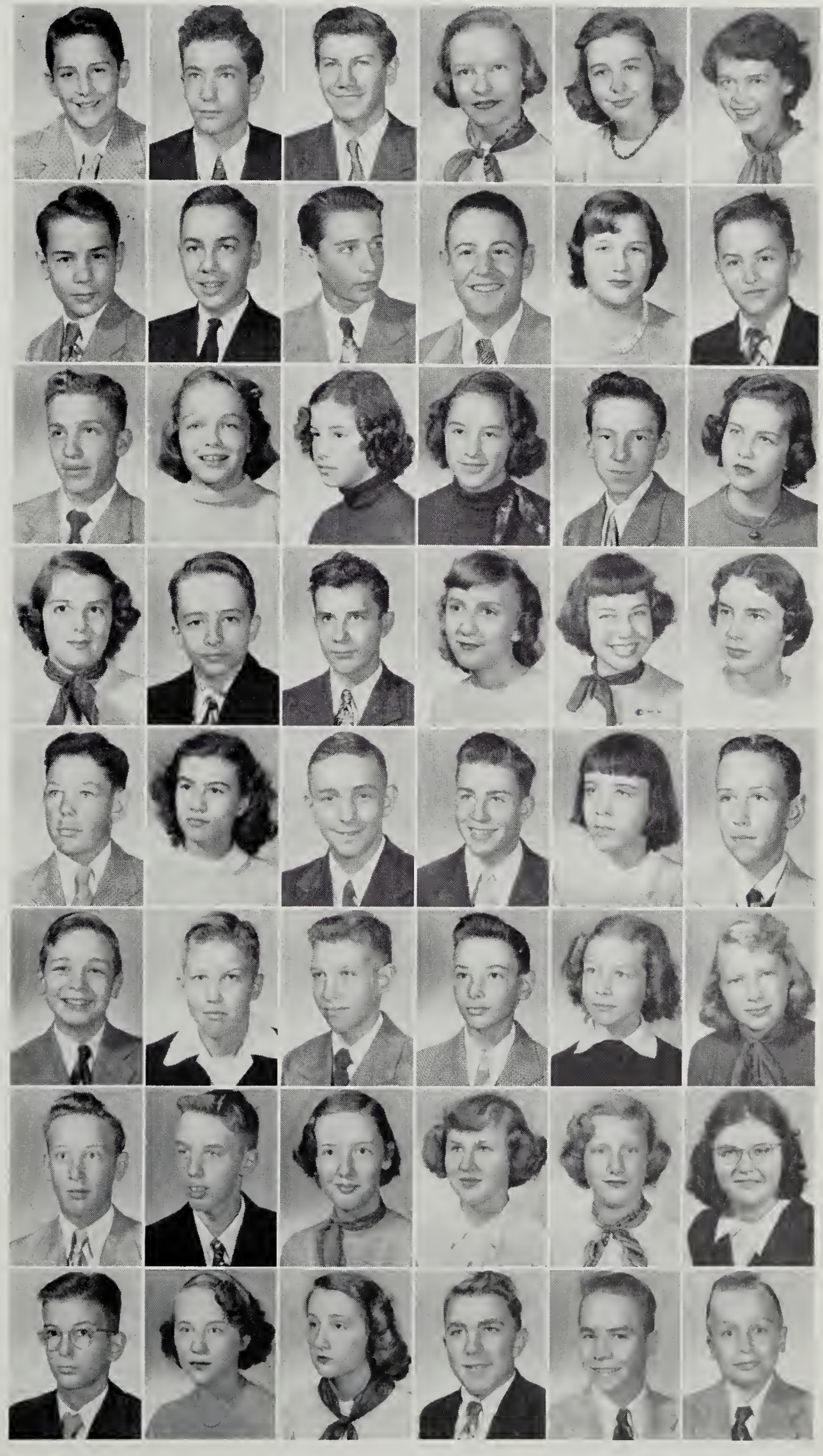
Devlin, Jean
Farrell, Chris
Fisher, Rayburn
Funk, Joan
Gebelin, Virginia
Gifford, Ellyn

Ginn, Jerry
Good, Henrietta
Griffin, Robert
Haines, Lynn
Hall, Carolyn
Hansen, Gil

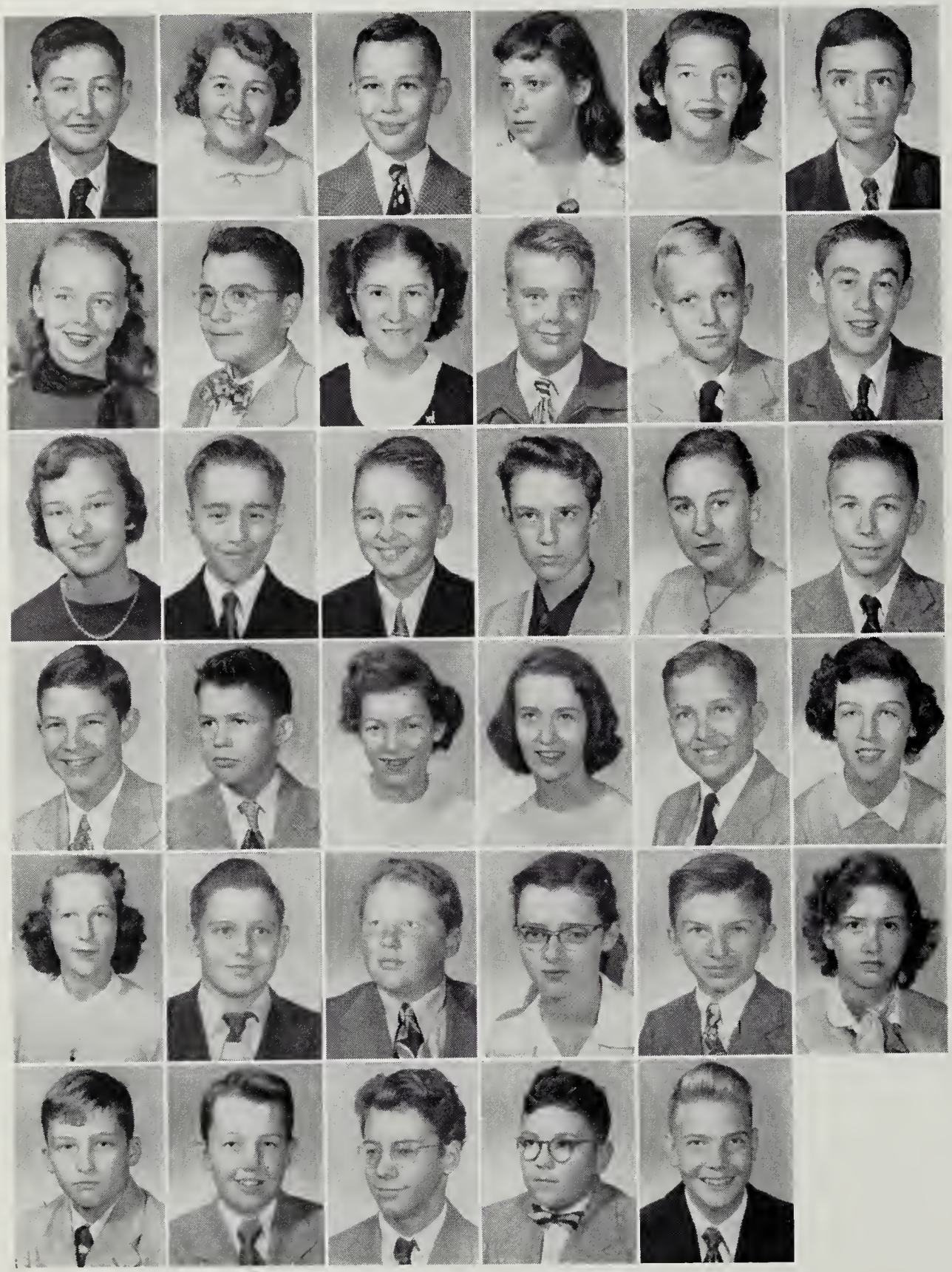
Havens, Daniel
Hedetniemi, Stephen
Hedetniemi, Thomas
Hockman, Owen
Hulfish, Mary
Jeffrey, Sara

Jenkins, Hubert
Kelley, Frank
Kilgore, Kathleen
Koster, Cheryl
Krages, Tosca
Larew, Catherine

Lee, Gilbert
Lunson, Barbara
Maddan, Loretta
Malick, Waldo
Manning, Arthur
Manning, John



EIGHTH GRADE



McMillan, John
Moats, Ruth Ann
Munkasey, Michael
Nugent, Lani
Otis, Laura
Paez, Adolfo

Payne, Colleen
Phillips, Rodney
Powell, Cynthia
Procter, John
Reimers, John
Roberts, Milton

Roeder, Mary Beth
Roelofs, Larry
Ryan, Robert
Simpson, Bernard
Sisler, Nancy
Smith, Kent

Smith, Roy
Smoot, Charles
Spaulding, Shirley
Stahl, Linda
Stephens, Steven
Stetson, Judy

Stuart, Rosalie
Strader, Ralph
Taylor, Grangis
Trimble, Margaret
Timkovsky, Sergei
Thackrey, Janet

Stilwell, Joseph
Webster, Thomas
White, Ted
Wolfgang, John
Zelaska, John

NOT PICTURED

Giambatista, Frank
Gideon, Leo
Schoff, Franklin
Sweet, John

Seventh Grade Officers

SECTION I

Philip Geddes ..... *President*

Marilyn Berry ..... *Vice-President*

Donald Williams ..... *Secretary*

Barbara Cadle ..... *Treasurer*

SECTION II

Robert Kiem ..... *President*

Boyd Evans ..... *Vice-President*

Roberta Charlton ..... *Secretary*

Allen Davis ..... *Treasurer*

SEVENTH

Adams, Rodney
Backus, Diane
Beard, Bryan
Beck, Janice
Berry, Marilyn

Bolton, Charles
Brewster, Mary
Brokke, James
Brown, John
Cadle, Barbara

Charlton, Roberta
Christenson, Thomas
Crouch, Thomas
Combs, Walter
Crumbaugh, Margaret

Czechanski, William
Davis, Allen
Drake, Brian
Erickson, Joan
Evans, Boyd

Farris, James
Fiess, Edith
Frost, Carolyn
Funk, Charles
Geddes, Philip

Gibbs, Nita
Gilbert, Jane Ann
Greer, Gabrielle
Harmon, Patricia
Harvey, Vivian

Heamon, Pat
Higbie, Richard
Hignett, Joseph
Horkan, Jack
Hough, David

Howze, Charles
Kiem, Robert
Lee, Cheri
Lendstrom, Catherine
Leonard, Elizabeth

GRADE

Levenberg, Judith
Lenville, Robert
Longley, Anne
McKenzie, Joan
McKenzie, Joyce

Means, Julie
Messee, Diane
Miles, John
Miller, John
Menchew, Robert

Moore, Barbara
Myers, Chloe
Naylord, Robert
Paez, Patricia
Palmer, Alfred

Perry, Carol
Polk, Josephine
Pond, James
Rockey, Mary
Russell, William

Smoot, Patricia
Stapleton, Daniel
Stathers, George
Stearns, Henry
Stoy, Robert

Strusch, Margaret
Terrell, Jimmy
Thorp, William
Tunison, Kay
Vernon, Thomas

Walker, Douglas
Walter, Richard
Welch, Ruth
Wilkins, Gary
Williams, Donald

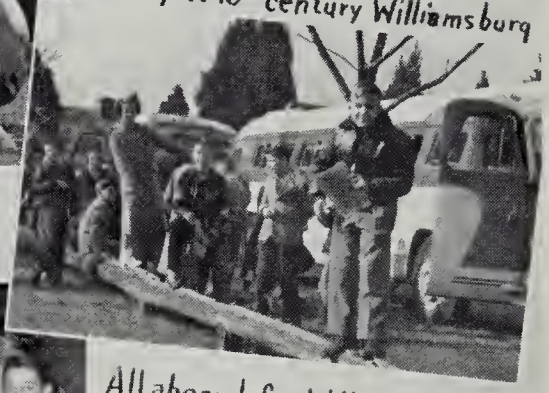
NOT PICTURED

Smith, Terry

Hey, lemme out of this comtraption!

Ride 'em, Joe Clubbers!

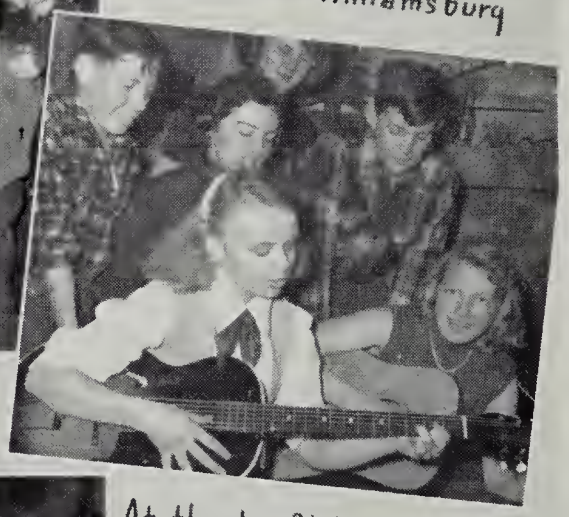
Turning back the pages of history to 18th century Williamsburg



All aboard for Williamsburg

Hubba, hubba - - - -

More fun than a barrel of monkeys!



A bevy of belles and beaux - - -

"Eat, drink, and be merry!"

At the Joe Club jamboree

A nice, restful(?) spot at Williamsburg!

"Ice Follies", George Mason style!

Quiet, please, on the air!

The way to a man's heart - - - -

SPIRIT

THE STUDENT Body

FOOTBALL TEAM

Last row: M. Fink, R. Fruland, C. Bailey, B. Tasker, J. Ginn.

Middle row: W. Stearns, E. Bailey, F. Louis, J. Tasker, B. Jeffrey, L. Llewellyn.

First row: D. Jensen, G. Mason, C. Yarbrough, J. Chambliss, J. Farris, J. Yarbrough.

FOOTBALL

The Mustangs played four games of touch football and won them all. The only points made by an opposing team were in the last game with Remington, the score being 26-2.

This is the first season for the Mustangs and will be remembered as an undefeated season. Next year our Mustangs will be playing regular eleven-man football.

BASKETBALL

The basketball season was not as successful as the football season for the Mustangs. As they progressed into the season they met tougher competition. Toward the end of the season the Mustangs were not clicking as they should have, but the spirit was still there. Not having a gym this year hurt us very much. Look out for the Mustangs next year in that new gym.

BASKETBALL TEAM

Start—top row, left to right: L. Llewellyn, J. Yarbrough, J. Chambliss, D. Jensen (*manager*), J. Tasker, B. Jeffrey, B. Tasker, J. Ginn, C. Yarbrough, D. Smith, R. Fruland, G. Mason.

Not pictured: A. Kinney.

TEAMS IN ACTION

May the Best man win.

Where'd it go?

BOYS' JUNIOR VARSITY

Standing: J. Ginn, F. Giambattista, L. Cohn, R. Havens, R. Phillips.
Kneeling: A. Manning, D. Hockman, J. Butler.

GIRLS' JUNIOR VARSITY

Top row: N. Jackson, B. Lee, J. Johnston, W. Waldron.
Middle row: P. Smith, M. Earhart, L. Branscom, M. Taylor.
Bottom row: N. Allen, C. Maulsby, N. McCarthy.

Top row: S. Maulsby, P. Payne, G. Hodges, M. Tabor.
Bottom row: B. Zimmer, J. Fruland, G. Atkins.

GIRLS' VARSITY

Another goal!

Hold your breath!

SENIOR CHEERLEADERS

First row: E. Chapin, B. Hinman, C. Newman, N. Allen.

Second row: S. Maulsby, B. Lee, B. Zimmer (*Captain*), B. Cline, B. Shelton.

Not pictured: F. Holland, T. Jackson, S. Clatterbuck.

JUNIOR CHEERLEADERS

J. Dietz, C. Maulsby, D. Hinshaw

J. Rumley, A. Albaugh, W. Waldron

VOICE

THE STUDENT

THE BAND

First row, left to right: R. Smith, T. Webster, B. Naylor, T. Palmer.

Second row: R. Walters, J. Miles, T. Vernon, A. Lassen, B. Eubanks, M. Bowers, R. Linville, D. Williams, G. Stathers, B. Kiem, Dr. Scholl.

Third row: J. Pond, J. Stilwell, J. Terrell, M. Hawze, C. Farrell, B. Bryan, W. Czechanski, A. Davis, B. Cranford, M. Munkasey.

The George Mason Junior-Senior High School Band was organized this year under the fine leadership of Dr. Herman Scholl, Director of Instrumental Music. This year the Band was made up entirely of Junior High School students, although everyone who has an interest in music and is able to play an instrument is eligible and welcome to join.

Our Band is growing rapidly and has progressed much this year. At Christmas the Band gave a concert, which was such a success that another concert followed in May.

One . . . Two . . . Three . . . Four

THE GLEE CLUB

The Glee Club has been established to promote not only enjoyment of music, both classic and popular, but the appreciation of music and its qualities. The Glee Club participates in many of the school activities, such as the Christmas Pageants, Spring Festivals, and other functions.

First row:

Mrs. Hooley, M. Miles, M. Hunt.

Second row:

P. Homer, J. Berry, J. Arnold, J. Altman, K. Davis, J. Bold, L. Hannen, C. Coe, M. Taylor.

Third row:

J. Smith, M. Marshall, B. Steiner, C. McAfee.

First Term

Jack Zelaska ..... *President*
Lynn Haines .... *Vice-President*
Judy Bigelow ..... *Secretary*
Colleen Payne—
Corresponding Secretary
Rosalie Stuart ..... *Treasurer*
John Manning ..... *Historian*

Second Term

Larry Cohn ..... *President*
Roy Smith ..... *Vice-President*
Mary Beth Roeder .... *Secretary*
Sara Jeffrey—
Corresponding Secretary
Judy Stetson ..... *Treasurer*
Jerry Ginn ..... *Historian*

Junior Outdoor Education Club

THE LASSO STAFF

Left to right:
Standing—First row: B. Steiner, J. Wells, B. Cline, Miss Campbell, *Sponsor.*
Second row: J. Hedetniemi, K. Geddes, S. Butler, M. Earhart, J. Farris.
Seated: N. Allen, E. Beeker, P. Regan, M. Fink.

Eddie Beeker, Patti Regan ..... *Co-Editors*

The "Lasso," the student newspaper of George Mason Senior High School, is distributed bi-monthly by the journalism class. With the help of their sponsor, Miss Phyllis Campbell, the newspaper staff publishes an accurate account of the latest happenings of the high school.

THE GLITTER STAFF

Left to right:
Standing: C. Bolton, T. Christensen, J. Roylance, C. Payne, P. Caron.
Seated: J. Fruland, L. Chaney, R. Smith, L. Otis.

Roy Smith ..... *Editor* Larry Chaney ..... *News Editor*

The Garnet and Gold "Glitter" is the Junior High paper published weekly featuring news and events of the students of the Junior High School.

SCIENCE CLUB

First row: M. Fink, R. Fruland, J. Hedetniemi, R. Beale.
Second row: E. Becker, K. Geddes, W. Holmes, Mr. Miller, *Sponsor.*

The Science Club made a model of the new George Mason Jr. Sr. High School, and plans to enter it in a contest at the Virginia Jr. Academy. The model is to scale, and is indeed a splendid and worthwhile project.

DRIVER TRAINING

Left to right: Mr. Leyer, *Sponsor;* W. Holmes, J. Gray, N. Altfather, B. Shelton, B. Lee, J. Johnston, A. Kinney, J. Altman.

The Driver Training Class was organized this year to train the students of this high school to drive cars. It is a complete course. We were fortunate in securing a dual-control car that has been a great help to Mr. Leyer and the students.

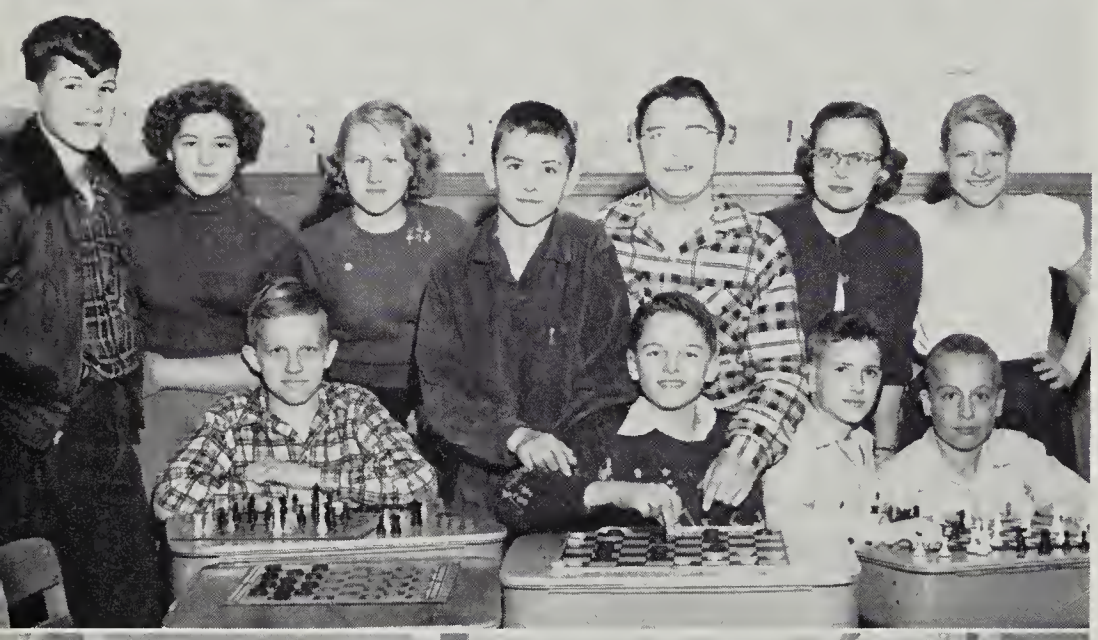
KEY CLUB

Sitting: J. Lintner, G. Morris, *Viee-Pres.*; B. Dennis, *Pres.*; J. Hedetniemi, *Treas.*; E. Becker, *See.*

Standing, last row: J. Roylanee, D. Fruland.

First row: J. Berry, K. Geddes, D. Fisher, B. Breit, M. Fink.

The Key Club was organized as a Junior Civic Club by the Kiwanis of Falls Church. It meets every Monday night at the Teen Canteen.



Chess and Checker Club

Standing: R. Smith, G. Cooper, S. Koster, L. Chaney, R. Phillips, Miss Bishop, *Sponsor*; S. Jeffrey.

Sitting: J. Reimers, R. Ryan, R. Higbie, J. Manning.

The Chess and Checker Club was formed for the purpose of providing a hobby for Jr. High School students. A great deal of interest has been shown by the students.

9th Grade HOBBY CLUB

Left to right: J. Watkins, M. Glover, D. Hinshaw, G. Atkins, G. McCurdy, J. Dietz.

The 9th Grade Hobby Club was formed in the shop class for 9th grade girls who are interested in it as a hobby. They learn the use of the basic tools and how to make simple repairs around the house.

DRAMATICS CLUB

First row: E. Coe, E. Rose, Miss Klein, *Sponsor;* R. Kearns, J. Lintner, J. Arnold.

Second row: C. Geier, J. Caldwell, M. Earhart, D. Campbell, S. Krages, S. Butler.

The purpose of the Dramatics Club is to understand, enjoy and participate in dramatics and theater activities . . . in all various fields, radio, stage, and classroom . . . for the benefit of self-expression and social enjoyment.

Cast of "The White Phantom," presented by the City Slickers Dramatics Club.

Mary Miles presenting corsage to Miss Klein, Director, on behalf of the two casts.

Cast of "When Shakespeare's Ladies Meet" presented by the Speech Arts Class.

THE MUSTANG STAFF

UPPER

Standing: J. Yarbrough, J. Rountree, J. Berry.

Seated: M. Taylor, N. Altfather, R. Fruland, B. Jeffrey.

LOWER

C. McAfee, B. Hinman, F. Louis, K. Davis, P. Payne.

UPPER

R. McCrary, T. Jackson, M. Miles, A. Kinney.

LOWER

Standing: N. Jackson, C. Coe, J. Johnston, C. Yarbrough.

Seated: K. Madden, C. Newman, M. Marshall, S. Maulsby.

NANCY ALTFATHER ..... *Editor-in-Chief*

ARLAN KINNEY ..... *Associate Editor*

CAROL NEWMAN ..... *Associate Editor*

ROBERTA MCCRARY ..... *Lay-Out Editor*

MARY MILES ..... *Literary Editor*

KATHRYN MADDEN ..... *Business Manager*

WILLIAM D. SNODGRASS ..... *Sponsor*

LUCY H. WEBSTER ..... *Photography*

PORTER STUDIOS ..... *Portraits*

KING PRINTING COMPANY ..... *Printing and Engraving*

PERSONALITY
Student Body

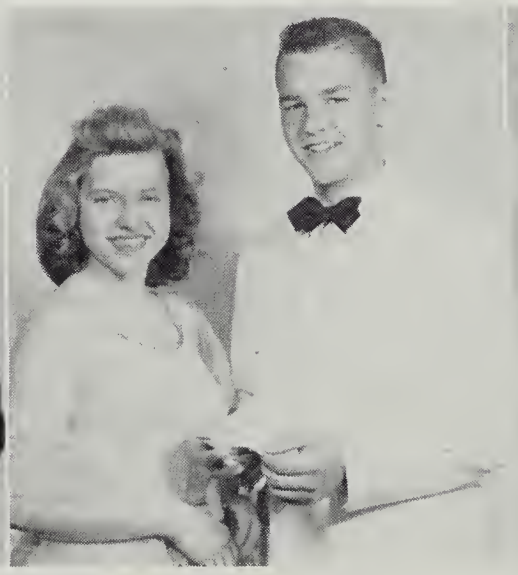
The Top Ten...

Junior High School

Leadership
GAIL HODGES
JOHN WOLFGANG

Best All Around
ROY SMITH
SARA JEFFREY

Citizenship
THEDA FULTON
LARRY CHANEY

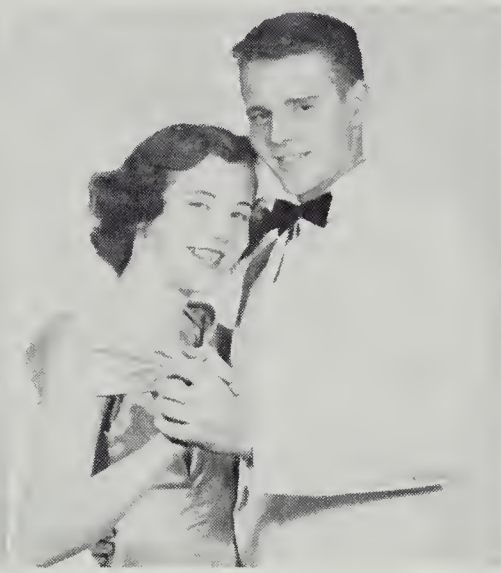


Sportsmanship
JUDY FRULAND
JOHN TASKER

Scholarship
BARBARA MOORE
JERRY ROYLANCE

...On Our Hit Parade

Citizenship
MELVIN FINK
SHIRLEY CLATTERBUCK



Sportsmanship
BARBARA ZIMMER
JOHN YARBROUGH

Scholarship
ROBERT DENNIS
PHYLLIS NICHOLSON

Senior High School

Best All-Round
ARLAN KINNEY
NANCY ALTFATHER

Leadership
KATHRYN MADDEN
EDDIE BECKER

Our Sweetheart and Her Court

BARBARA LEE, *Queen*

MEMBERS OF THE COURT

PEGGY PAYNE BETTY CLINE JACKIE DIETZ SARA JEFFREY PATSY HARMON

BARBARA ZIMMER NANCY ALLEN JUDY FRULAND MARY BETH ROEDER BARBARA CADLE

DONALD JENSEN, *Jester*

THE FACULTY FIVE

THE JESTER

THEY WORKED HARD ON...

JUDY FRULAND

JOHN MANNING

MELODY MARSHALL

The Staff of the MUSTANG is grateful to the students of George Mason Junior-Senior High School for their interest and assistance in publishing this, the first issue of the MUSTANG, by selling magazines. The Student Body led by those whose pictures appear on this page sold $3,443.75 in magazines making a profit of $944.04 to help defray the cost of the book.

JANE BOLD

RICHARD FRULAND

RALPH STRADER

...THE MAGAZINE CAMPAIGN

STRENGTH

THE STUDENT Body

IT'S NOT A MIRAGE — IT'S

FALLS CHURCH GARAGE

Best Wishes for a Happy and Prosperous Future

from the

MANAGEMENT and STAFF

LEE HIGHWAY and HILLWOOD AVENUE

Falls Church, Virginia FA 2300

If It's Photographic

Call PORTER STUDIOS

Two Stores to Serve You

104 N. Washington St.
Falls Church, Virginia
FA 2953

4765 Lee Highway
Arlington, Virginia
JA 7-6935

Glebe 5106 FA 4429

FAIRFAX GLASS CO.

131 W. Broad Street
Falls Church, Virginia

for

Picture Windows **Table Tops**
Mirrors **Auto Glass**

Compliments of

DOBKINS D. G. S. MARKET

Falls Church Virginia

ROBERT SHREVE FUEL CO.

6873 Lee Highway
Falls Church
Virginia

FALLS CHURCH BAKERY

Donor of Our Christmas Cookies

101 E. Broad St. FA 1644

Best Wishes
from

Martin Brothers

Best Wishes
from

Bryant's Restaurant

Compliments

of

McLeod & Ferrara

Architects

A.I.A.

Compliments

of

CLEVELAND PARK SERVICE STATION

Shell Products

Goodyear Accessories

4401 Conn. Ave., N.W.
Washington, D. C.
Open 24 Hours
Phone WO-9794

E. E. McCabb N. S. Webb

THE OXFORD SHOP

Men's Wear

FA 1100
Falls Church, Va.

HORACE E. BROWN

Hardware - Household Supplies

Paint

100 West Broad Street
Falls Church, Virginia

M. E. CHURCH, INC.

REALTOR

Compliments
of
BROADSTREET DELICATESSEN
244 Broad Street
Falls Church, Virginia

Compliments
of
THETA ALPHA EPSILON

Compliments
of
STUDENT COUNCIL ASSOCIATION

The W. Ted Austin

Insurance Agency

Dial JE 3-1200

INSURANCE CONSULTANTS

and

UNDERWRITERS

151 E. Broad St. Falls Church, Va.

THE FAIRFAX STANDARD

Published every Friday in Fairfax county, Virginia, by Margaret C. King, Editor and publisher.

P.O. Box 304, Falls Church, Va.
Falls Church - 2775

"I do the best I know how, the very best I can and I mean to keep doing so till the end; if the end brings me out all right, what is said against me won't amount to anything."

—Abraham Lincoln

Compliments
of
FALLS CHURCH REALTY CO.
1215 Wash. St.
Phone FA-2122

Statewide Real Estate Service
Joseph W. Seay Co.
VIRGINIA HOMES AND FARMS
FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA
Joseph W. Seay Office: Tel. FA 2620
Home: Tel. FA 0218 113 West Broad St.

Compliments
WFAX
1220 on Your Dial

F. A. McGonegal, Inc.
Plumbing - Heating - Supplies
Appliances
FA 4440 Falls Church, Va.

Hardware **Bendix and Philco**
SNYDER and COMPANY
Paints - Glass
Westinghouse Appliances
6047 Lee Highway Phone FA 1194
Falls Church, Va.

BROAD STREET MOTORS
Inc.

A New and Modern
Ford Sales & Service
Headquarters

101 W. Broad St.

Your Authorized Ford Dealer
Cars & Truck Parts
Service to Serve You

Phone
Falls Church
5100

All
Make
Cars

Woodward + Lothrop

WISE TEEN-AGERS
are coming to
Woodward and Lothrop for
their new clothes.
For you girls, there's the
Young Fourth Floor. And for
the men, it's the Men's Store,
Second Floor, less than a minute
via the electric stairway.

Accessories - Washing
McDaniels
935 W. Broad St.

ESSO

Expert Lubrication
Service Center
Phone FA 2127

Falls Church School of Music
Phone JE 3-1009 102 E. Fairfax St.
Falls Church, Virginia

J. C. PENNEY CO.
Clarendon
Arlington, Virginia

J. L. C. WEST REALTOR

Homes and Farms, A Specialty

HIGHS ICE CREAM
310 S. Washington St.
Falls Church, Va.

EARL SMITH NURSERIES
401 W. Rosemary Lane
Falls Church, Va.

JELLEFF'S

You can be

Jelleff-smart
on school days!

Jelleff-cute
on Saturdays!

Jelleff-pretty
on Sundays!

Compliments
of
CHESTER FRULAND
Curtis Circulation Company
School Plan

Compliments
of
NALL'S GARAGE
Falls Church, Virginia

Wissinger Chevrolet Co.

Seven Corners

Falls Church, Virginia

Phone FA 1177

Roger H. Blake
Florist

Sleepy Hollow Rd.

Corsages
Cut Flowers

Phone FA 2119

Compliments
of
GOODWIN'S GIFT SHOP

BROWSE ABOUT SHOP
Home Accessories - Gifts
6865 N. Fairfax Drive
E. Falls Church, Va.
Phone: FA 5455

For Items as:
Arrow Shirts
Bostonian Shoes
Stetson Hats
See The Claude Well's Store
For Boys and Men

SERVICE TILE COMPANY
Specialists in Clay Tile
Michael Geier, Jr. Phone FA 7313

"Repairs on Anything Electronic"
TELEVISON WORKSHOP
SALES & SERVICE
118 S. Washington Street
Falls Church, Va. Phone FA 2990
FLOYD E. MARTIN BEN F. HURT

3 Day Service
1 Day Special
Open 8 a.m.-8 p.m.
EAGLE CHINESE LAUNDRY
188 S. Washington St. Falls Church, Va.

SEWALL REALTY COMPANY
Sales - Rentals - Loans - Insurance
14 S. Glebe Road Arlington, Va.

J. E. ANDERSON

Moving & Storage Company

JE 2-1260 2011 N. Westmoreland

Falls Church, Virginia

Compliments of

THE ALMA SHOPS

Women's Ready-to-Wear

Buster Brown Shoes

Falls Church Arlington

Laundry Shoe Repair

SERV-ALL CLEANERS

FA 5110

107 E. Broad

Compliments of the

FALLS CHURCH

COMMUNITY THEATRE

Truly Your Friendly

Drug Store

FALLS CHURCH DRUG STORE

FA 1275 FA 2575

Falls Church, Va.

Compliments from the

CLOTHES HORSE

Shirlington, Virginia

Many thanks to the wonderful kids in publishing this book.

W. D. Snodgrass

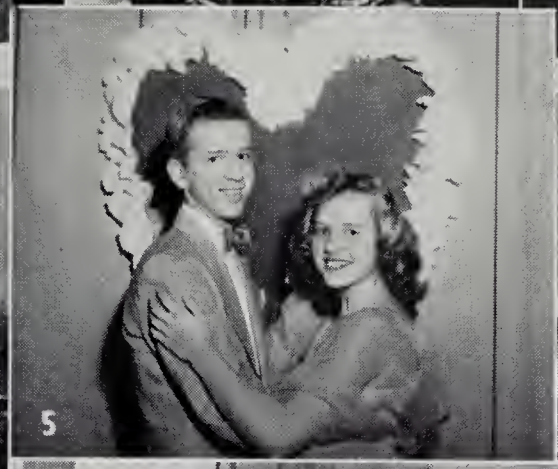
The 1952 Mustang

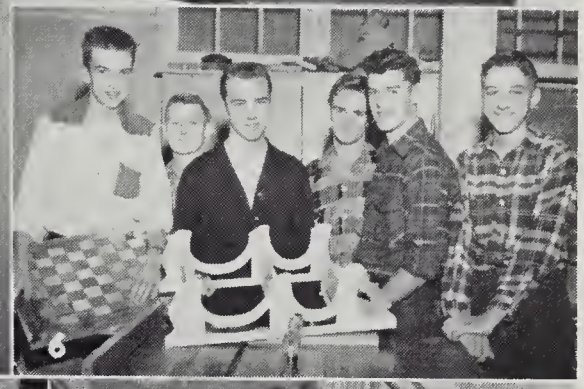
was printed by

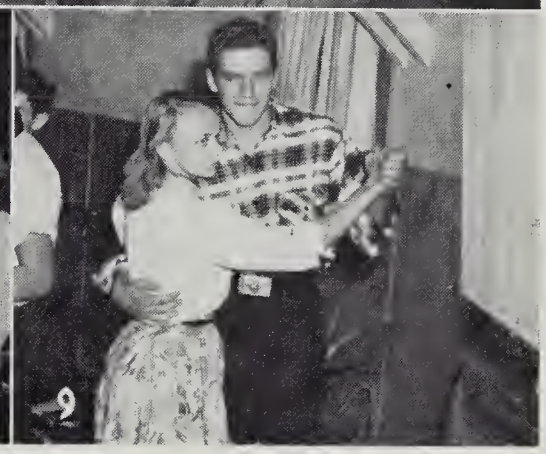
THE KING PRINTING COMPANY

Yearbook Printers

BRISTOL, TENNESSEE

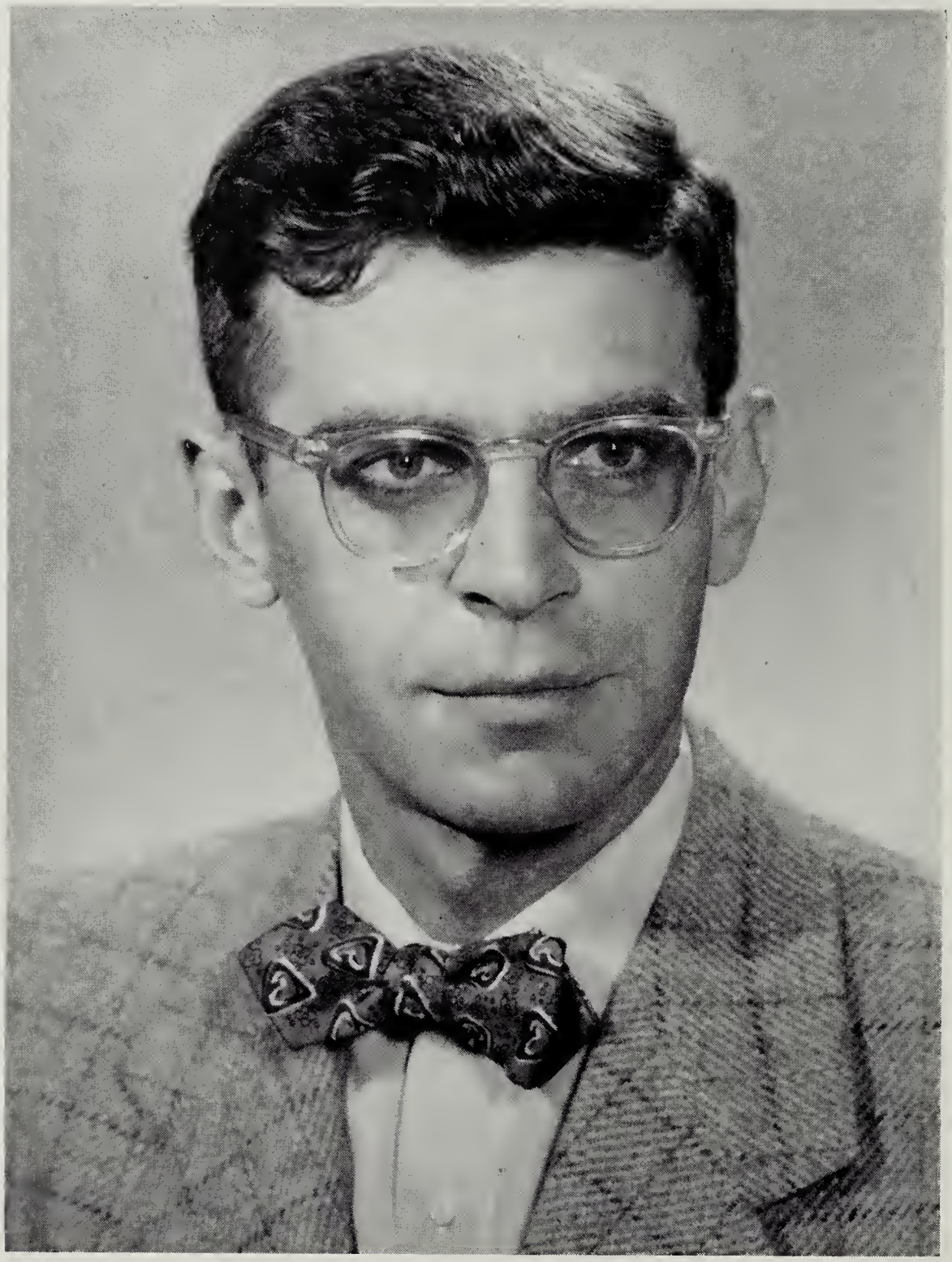






1. *Moonshiners.*
2. *Go 'way, you bother me!*
3. *The Glitter's printing presses!*
4. *Fashion hits.*
5. *Sweethearts.*
6. *Future fixers.*
7. *And now a word from the sponsor.*
8. *Nuts to these new inventions!*
9. *Just learning?*
10. *The old bathhouse.*
11. *One! Two! Three! Kick!*
12. *Got an eraser?*
13. *That's five feet.*
14. *Pocahontas II.*
15. *Traffic jam!*

Mr. Snodgrass Sees It Through



Mr. William D. Snodgrass

In presenting this first Mustang, we of the staff wish to acknowledge our deep appreciation to Mr. William Snodgrass. It was only through his determination and untiring efforts that we were able to meet the unusual problems which arose in Publishing this first yearbook of The George Mason Junior-Senior High School.

Officially, he has been our sponsor; in reality, he has been our constant inspiration.

THE STAFF
OF
THE MUSTANG

*The staff congratulates itself upon being able to keep this page a secret during the process of going to press.

THE LIBRARY OF VIRGINIA
1020015350

IAN
b